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In the above referenced Office Action, the Examiner requested an election of species from the following groups:

- 1. The external structure as claimed in claim 8;
- 2. The external structure as claimed in claim 9;
- 3. The external structure as claimed in claim 10;
- 4. The external structure as claimed in claim 11; and
- 5. The external structure as claimed in claim 12,

In response, the applicants elect the species of Group I without traverse. Non-elected claims 9-12 have been withdrawn pending allowance of generic Claim 1.

Accordingly, the applicant(s) have elected to begin prosecution with examination of claims 1-8, 13, 21-26, and 33-37.

Upon allowance of the generic claims, applicant(s) expressly requests consideration of claims to additional species which are written in dependent form or which otherwise include all the limitations of the allowed generic claims.

No fees are believed due with this communication. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any deficiency in fees herein to Deposit Account No. 50-0665.

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Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-0665, under Order No. 030048102US from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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